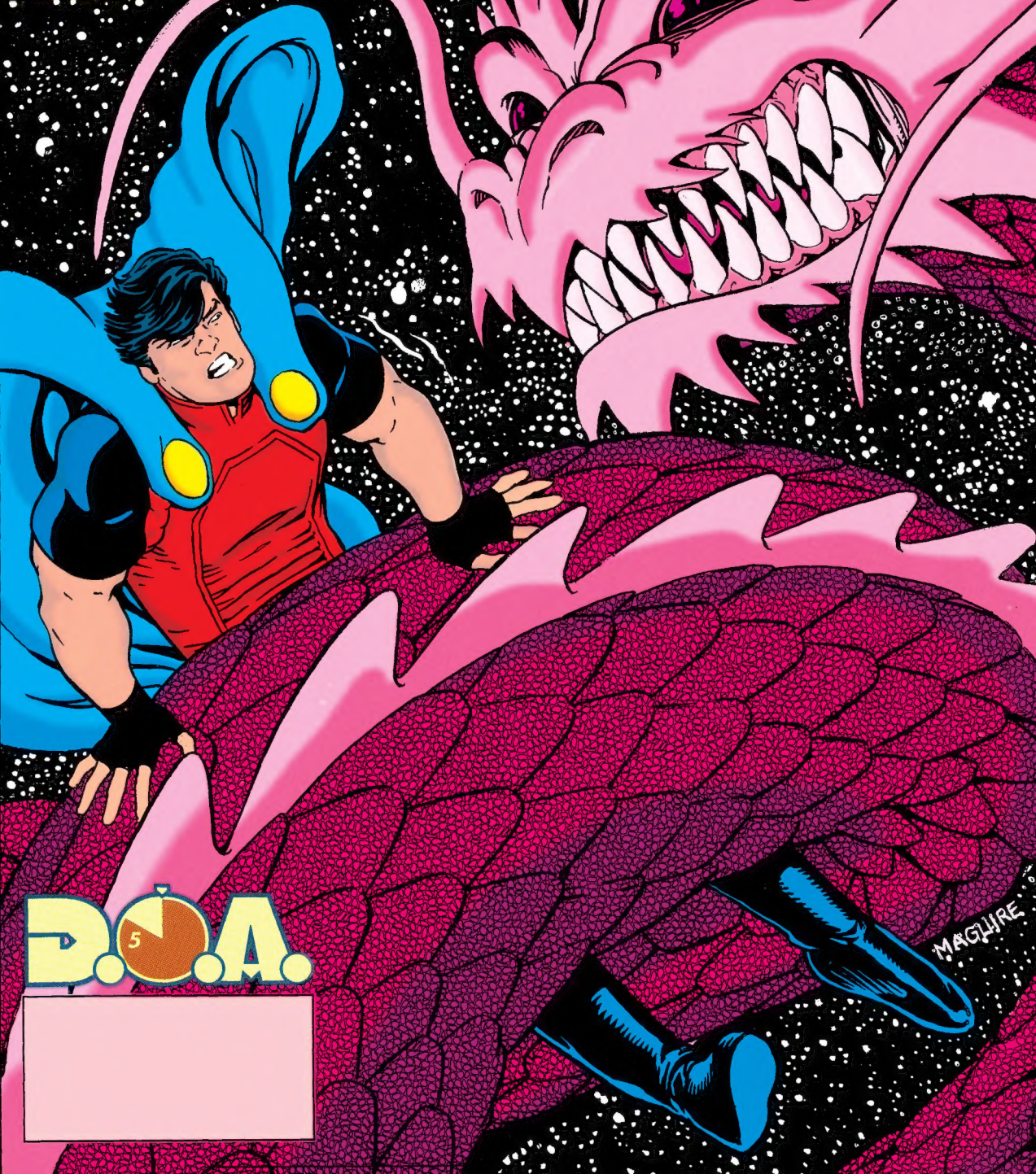




VALOR

WAID,
DORAN &
McDOWELL



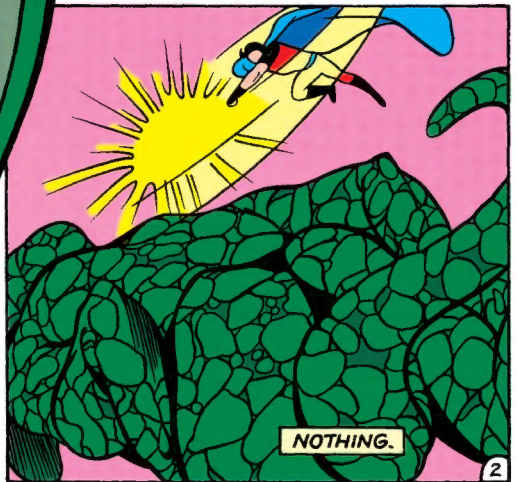
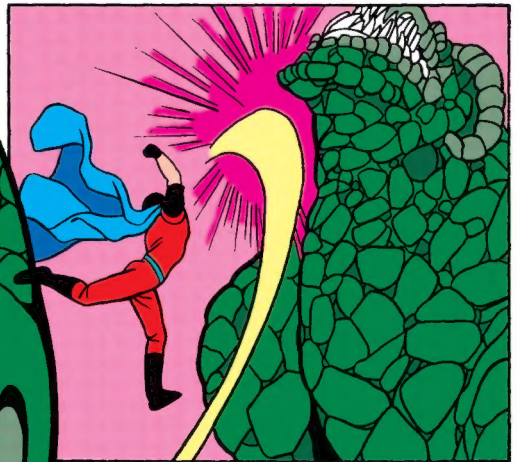
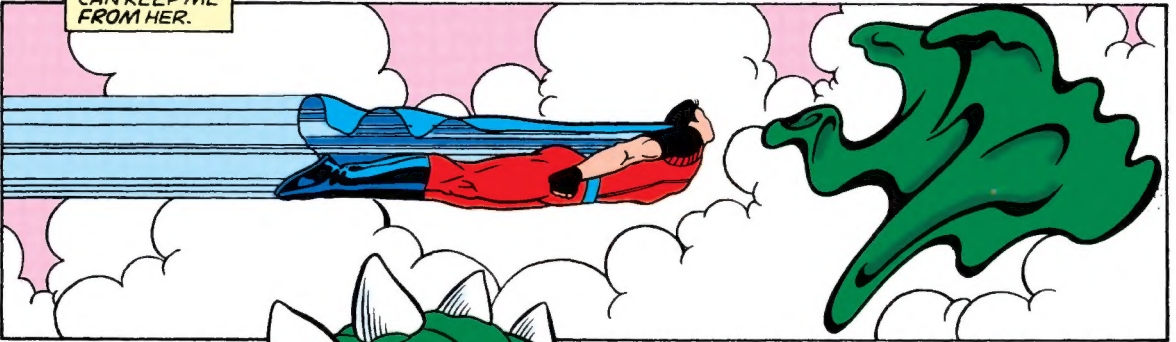
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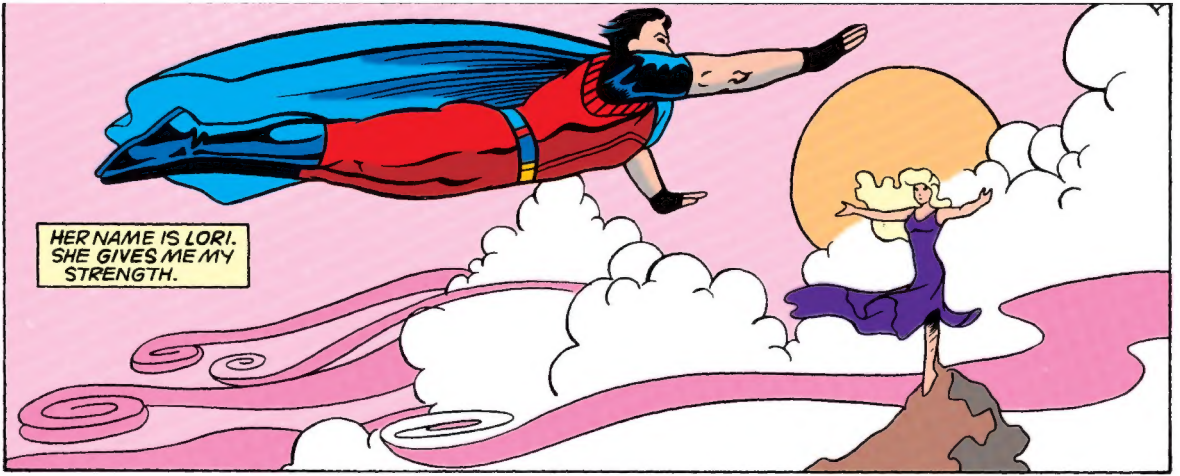




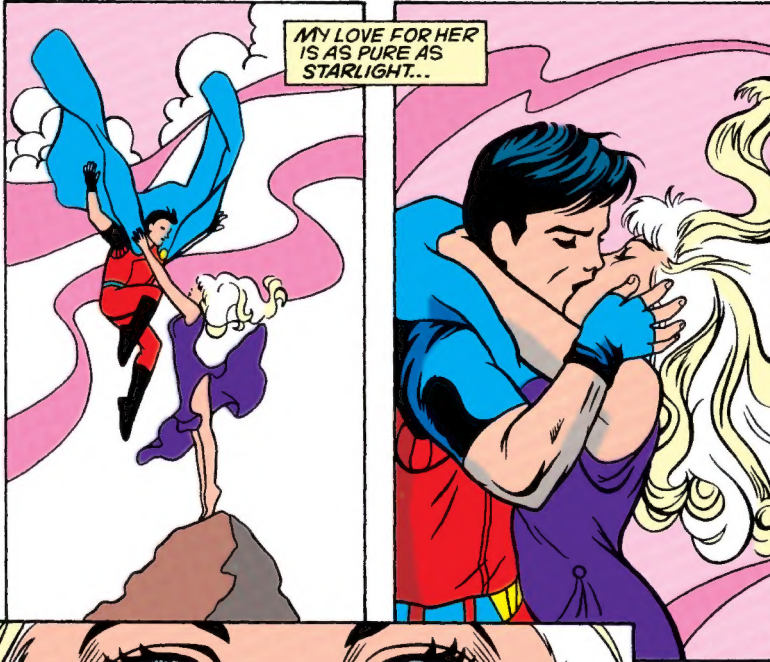
AND NOTHING
CAN KEEP ME
FROM HER.



NOTHING.



HER NAME IS LORI.
SHE GIVES ME MY
STRENGTH.



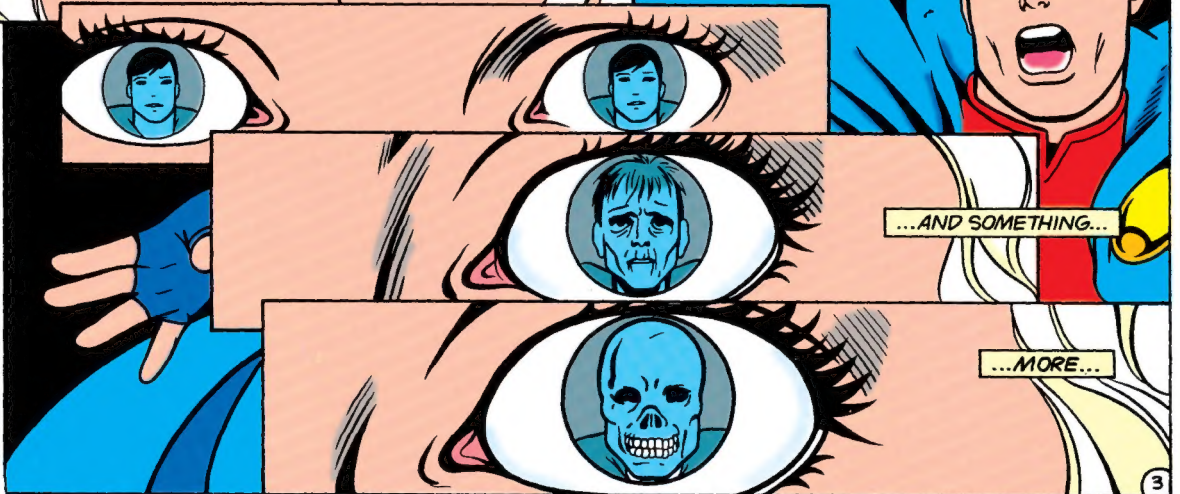
MY LOVE FOR HER
IS AS PURE AS
STARLIGHT...



...AND IN HER EYES,
I SEE MY LOVE
REFLECTED.



MY LOVE...

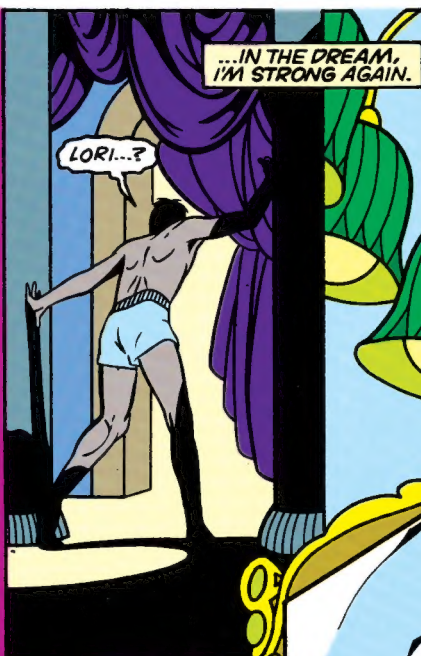


...AND SOMETHING...

...MORE...



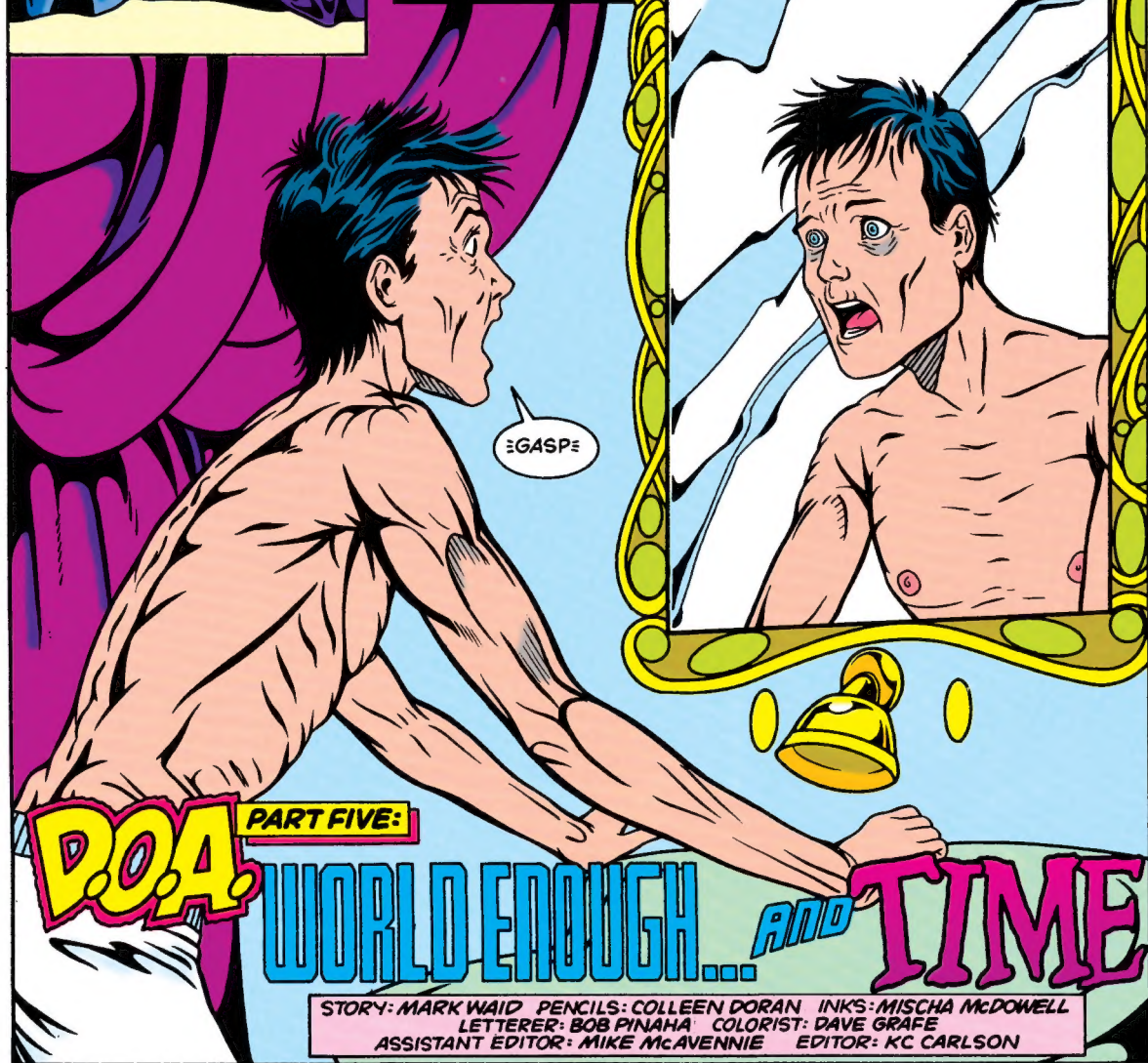
LORI!



...IN THE DREAM,
I'M STRONG AGAIN.

LORI...?

IN THE DREAM.



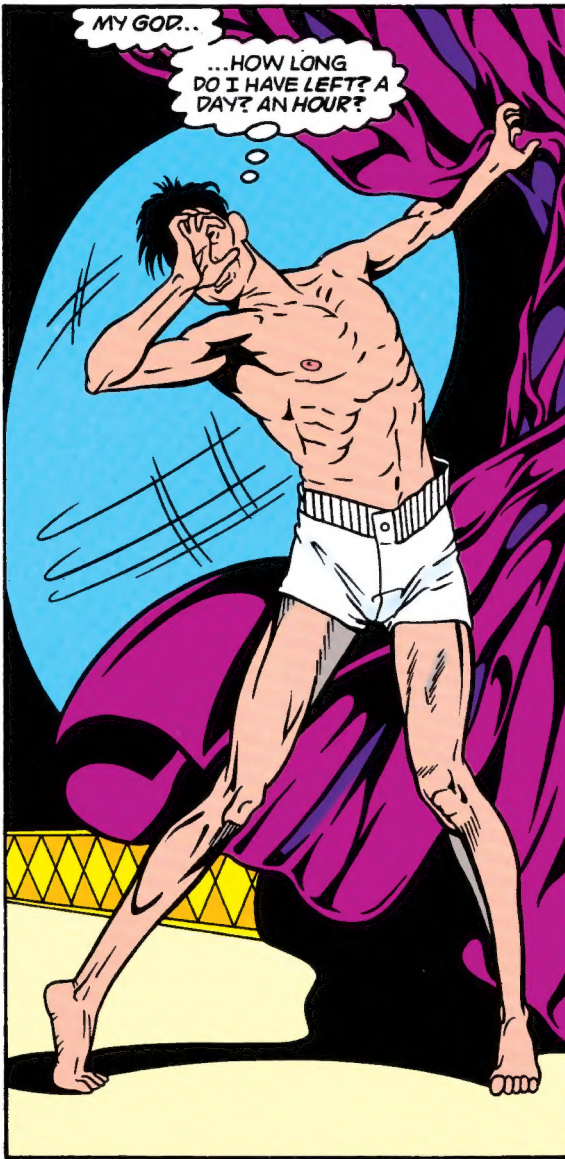
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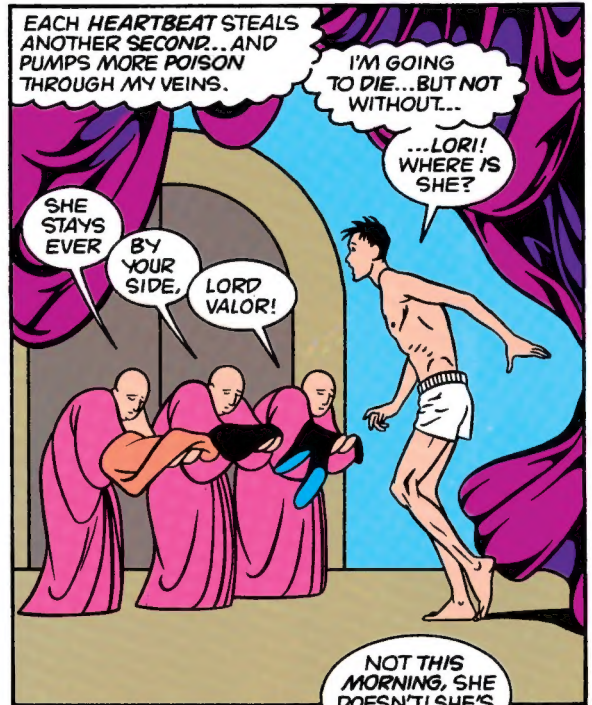
WORLD ENOUGH... AND TIME

STORY: MARK WAID PENCILS: COLLEEN DORAN INKS: MISCHA McDOWELL
LETTERER: BOB PINAHA COLORIST: DAVE GRAFE
ASSISTANT EDITOR: MIKE McAVENNIE EDITOR: KC CARLSON



MY GOD...

...HOW LONG
DO I HAVE LEFT? A
DAY? AN HOUR?



EACH HEARTBEAT STEALS
ANOTHER SECOND... AND
PUMPS MORE POISON
THROUGH MY VEINS.

I'M GOING
TO DIE... BUT NOT
WITHOUT...

...LORI!
WHERE IS
SHE?

SHE
STAYS
EVER

BY
YOUR
SIDE.

LORD
VALOR!

NOT THIS
MORNING, SHE
DOESN'T! SHE'S
VANISHED!



OH,
NO!

SHE'S

MISSING?



SOUND THE
ALARMS!

OUR
MASTER

NEEDS
HIS
QUEEN!

NO...
WAIT...



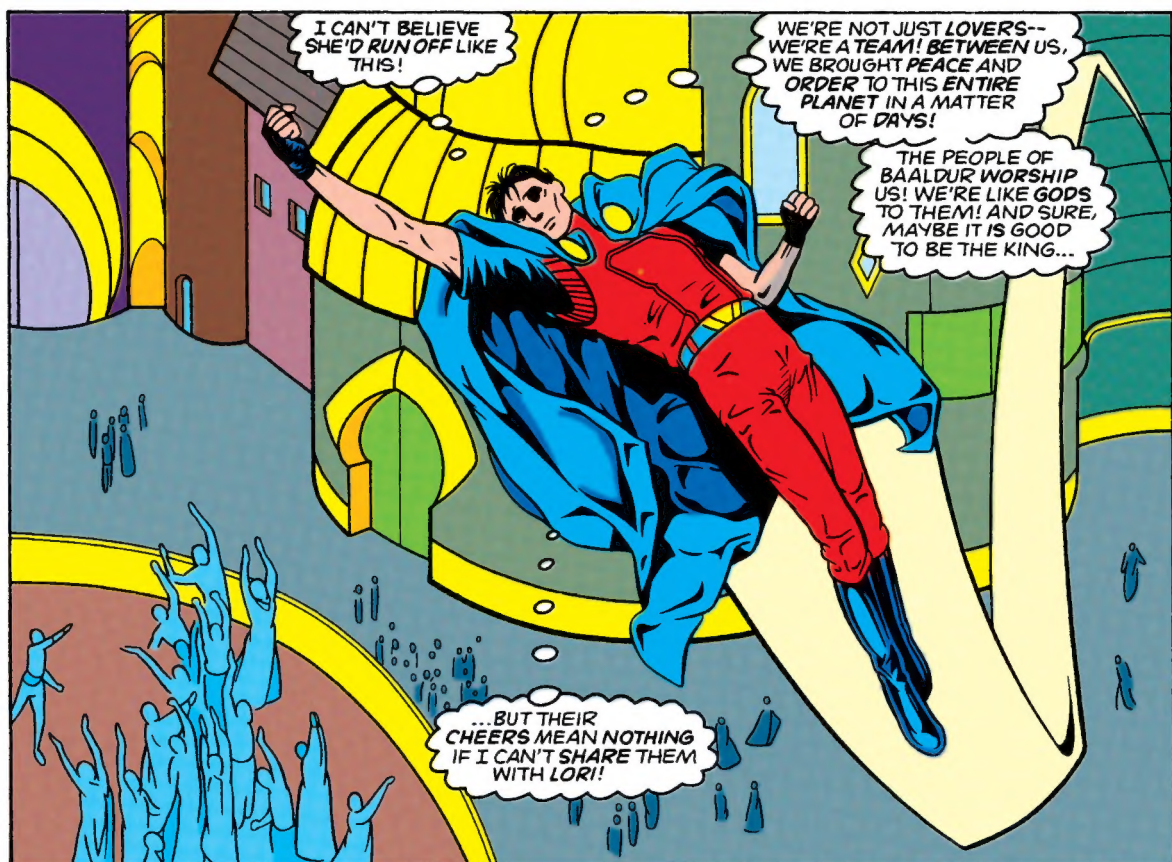
...LORI?

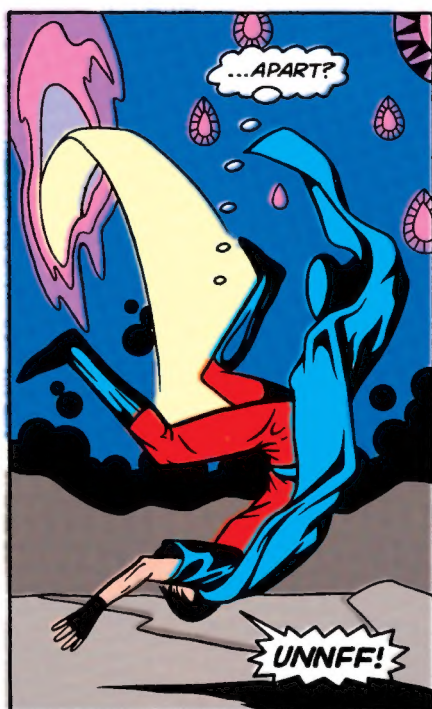
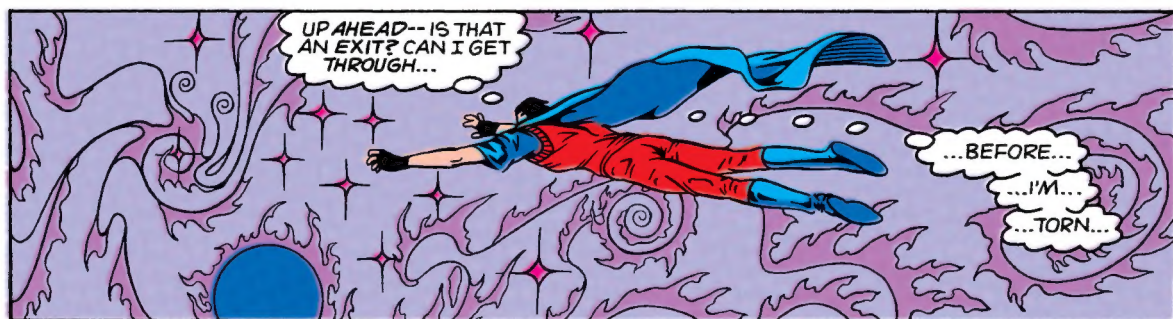
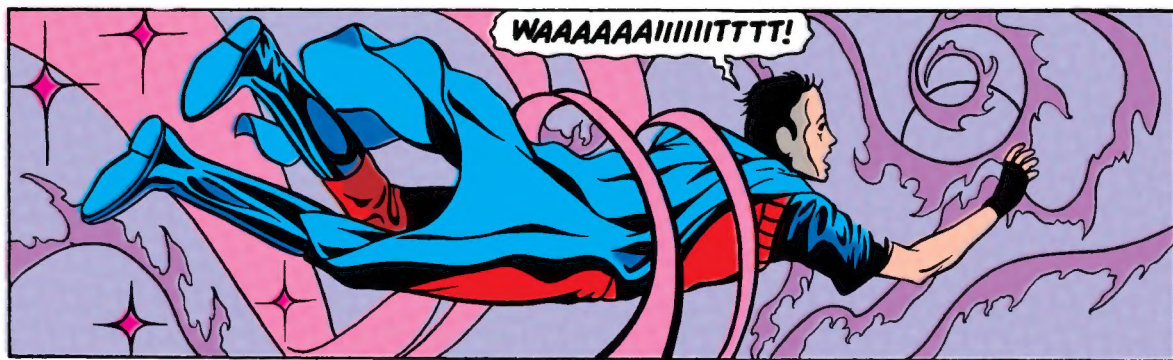
SIGH: EVERYWHERE
I TURN... SERVANTS,
SERVANTS AND MORE
SERVANTS.

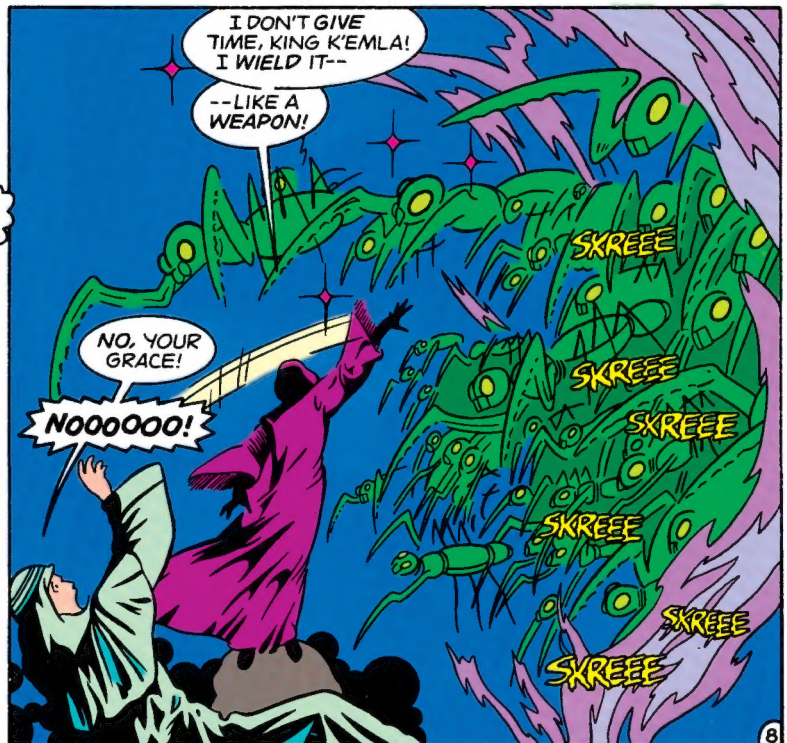
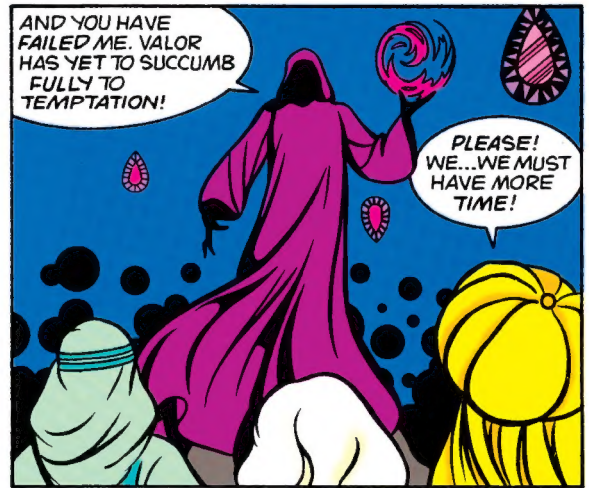
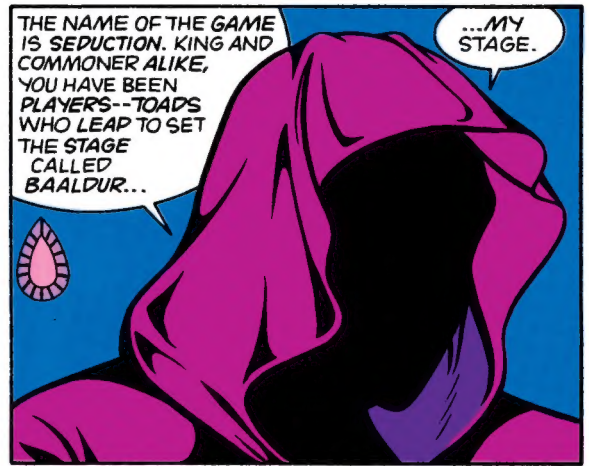
WELL, DON'T LET
THEM GET TO YOU,
LAR. YOU KNOW
WHAT THEY
SAY...



... "LIFE'S TOO
SHORT."







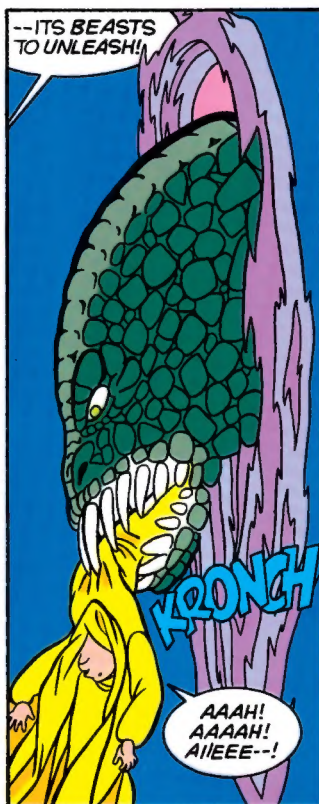


POOR K'EMLA. HE HAS SEEN THE FUTURE... AND IT BITES!

THE VERY TIME-STREAM IS MINE TO REND, LACKEY! ITS DOORS TO OPEN--

SKREEE

SKREEE



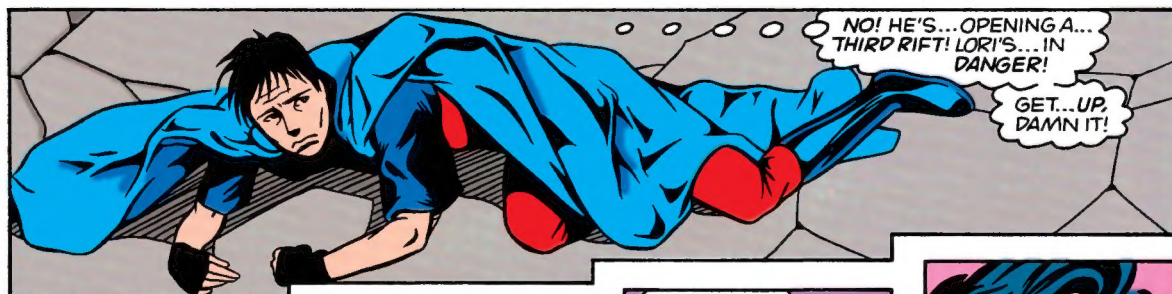
--ITS BEASTS TO UNLEASH!!

KRONCH

AAAH! AAAAH! AIEEE--!



FEELING LEFT OUT, MY DEAR? DON'T WORRY-- I HAVEN'T FORGOTTEN ABOUT YOU...



NO! HE'S... OPENING A... THIRD RIFT! LORI'S... IN DANGER!

GET...UP, DAMN IT!



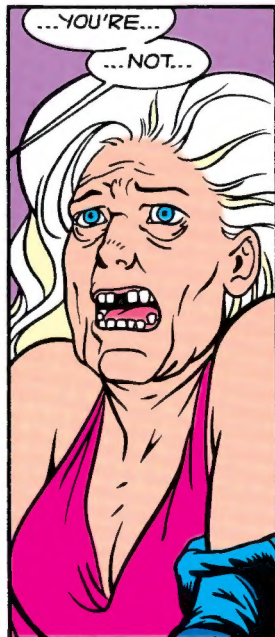
GET UP AND SAVE HER--

--IF IT'S THE LAST THING YOU EVER DO!

LORI!!!



I HAVE YOU! YOU'RE...



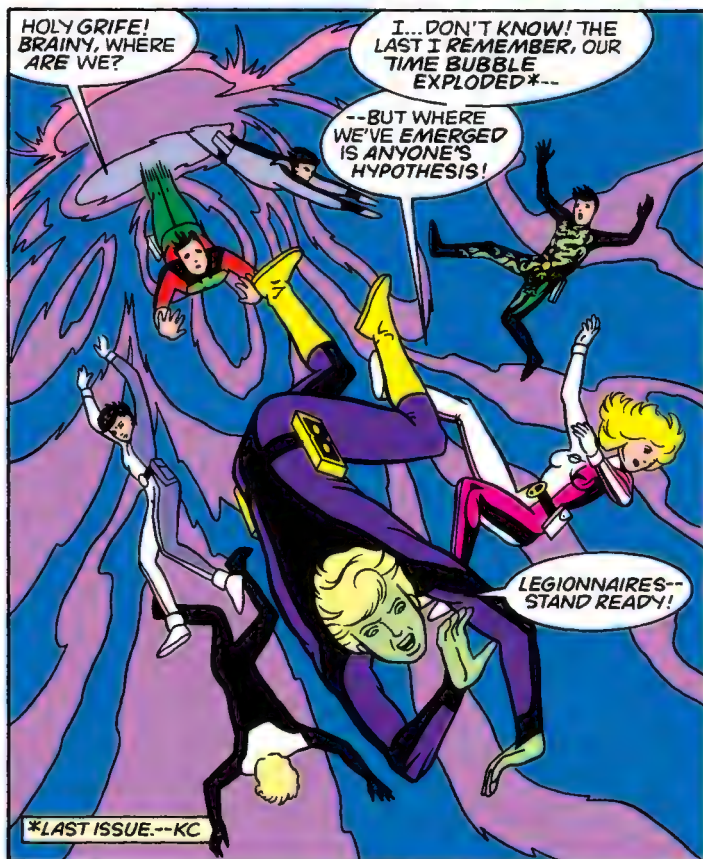
...YOU'RE...

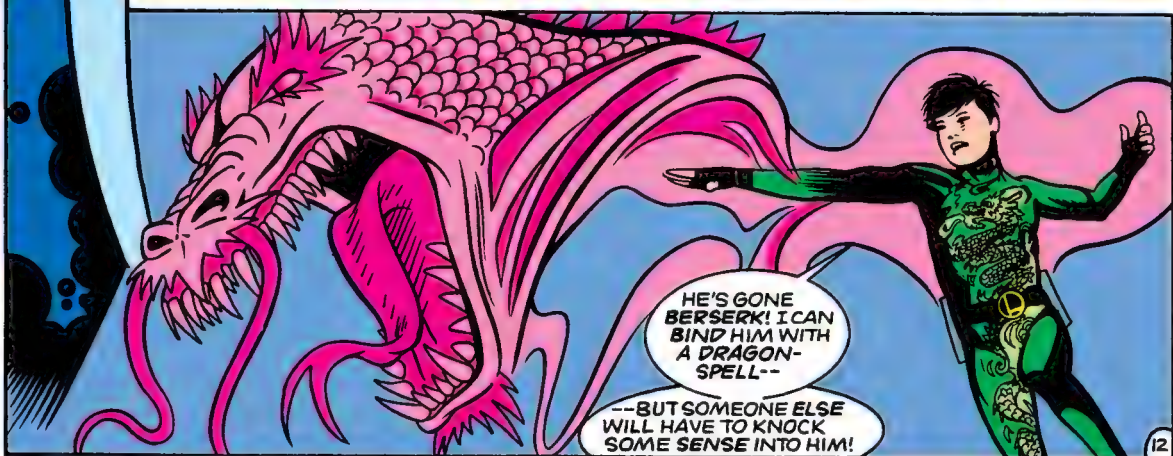
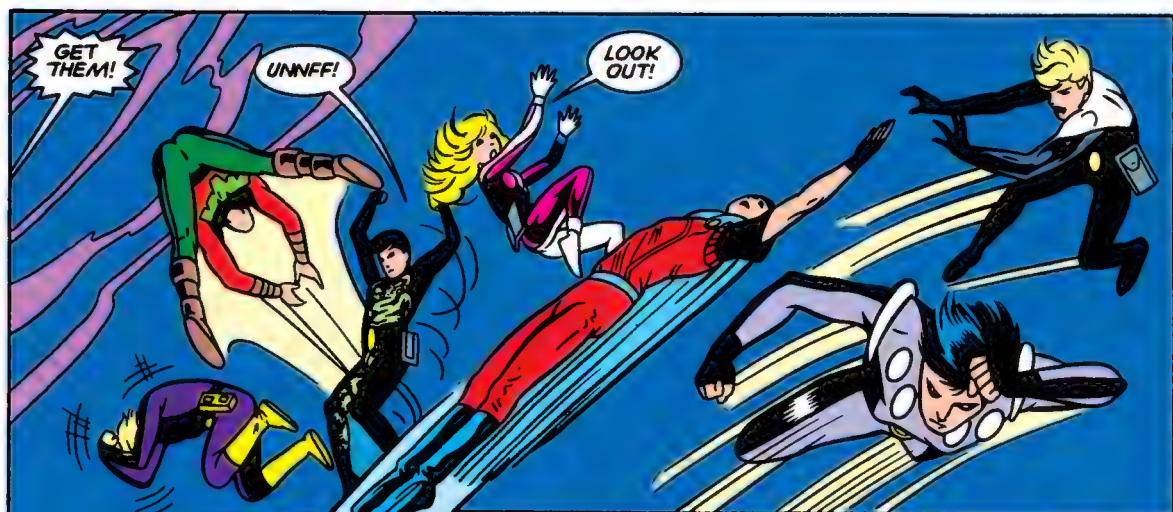
...NOT...

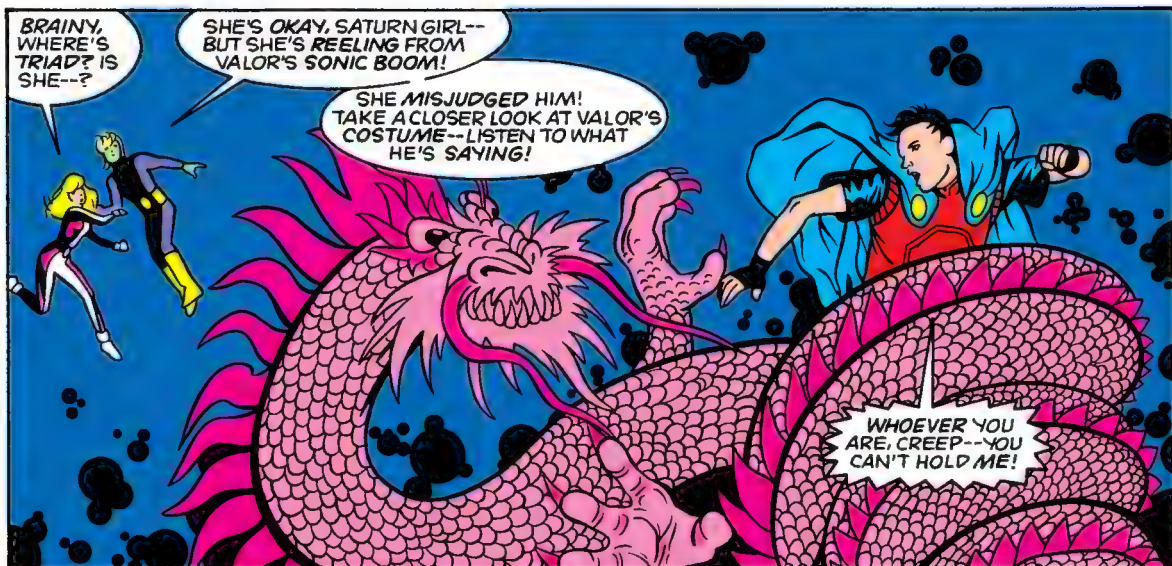


FORGET HER, LAR. SHE'S NOT THE ONE YOU'RE LOOKING FOR...







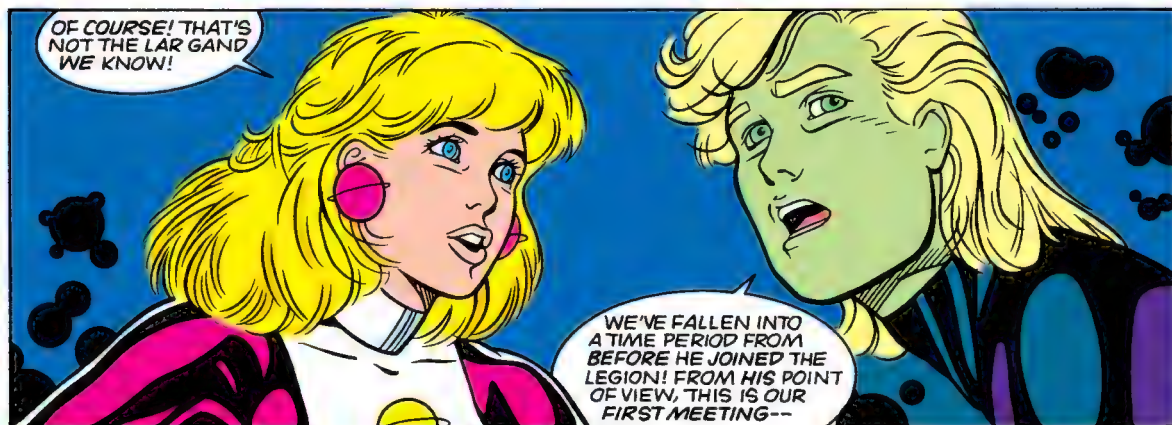


BRAINY,
WHERE'S
TRIAD? IS
SHE--?

SHE'S OKAY, SATURN GIRL--
BUT SHE'S REELING FROM
VALOR'S SONIC BOOM!

SHE MISJUDGED HIM!
TAKE A CLOSER LOOK AT VALOR'S
COSTUME--LISTEN TO WHAT
HE'S SAYING!

WHOEVER YOU
ARE, CREEP--YOU
CAN'T HOLD ME!



OF COURSE! THAT'S
NOT THE LAR GAND
WE KNOW!

WE'VE FALLEN INTO
A TIME PERIOD FROM
BEFORE HE JOINED THE
LEGION! FROM HIS POINT
OF VIEW, THIS IS OUR
FIRST MEETING--

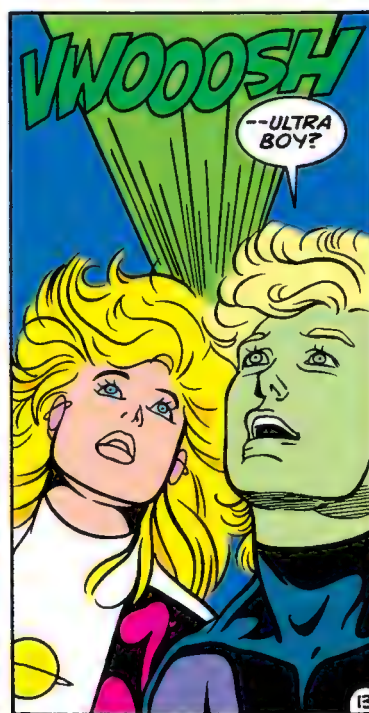


--AND IF WE CAN'T
QUELL HIS FURY-- IT
MAY BE OUR LAST!

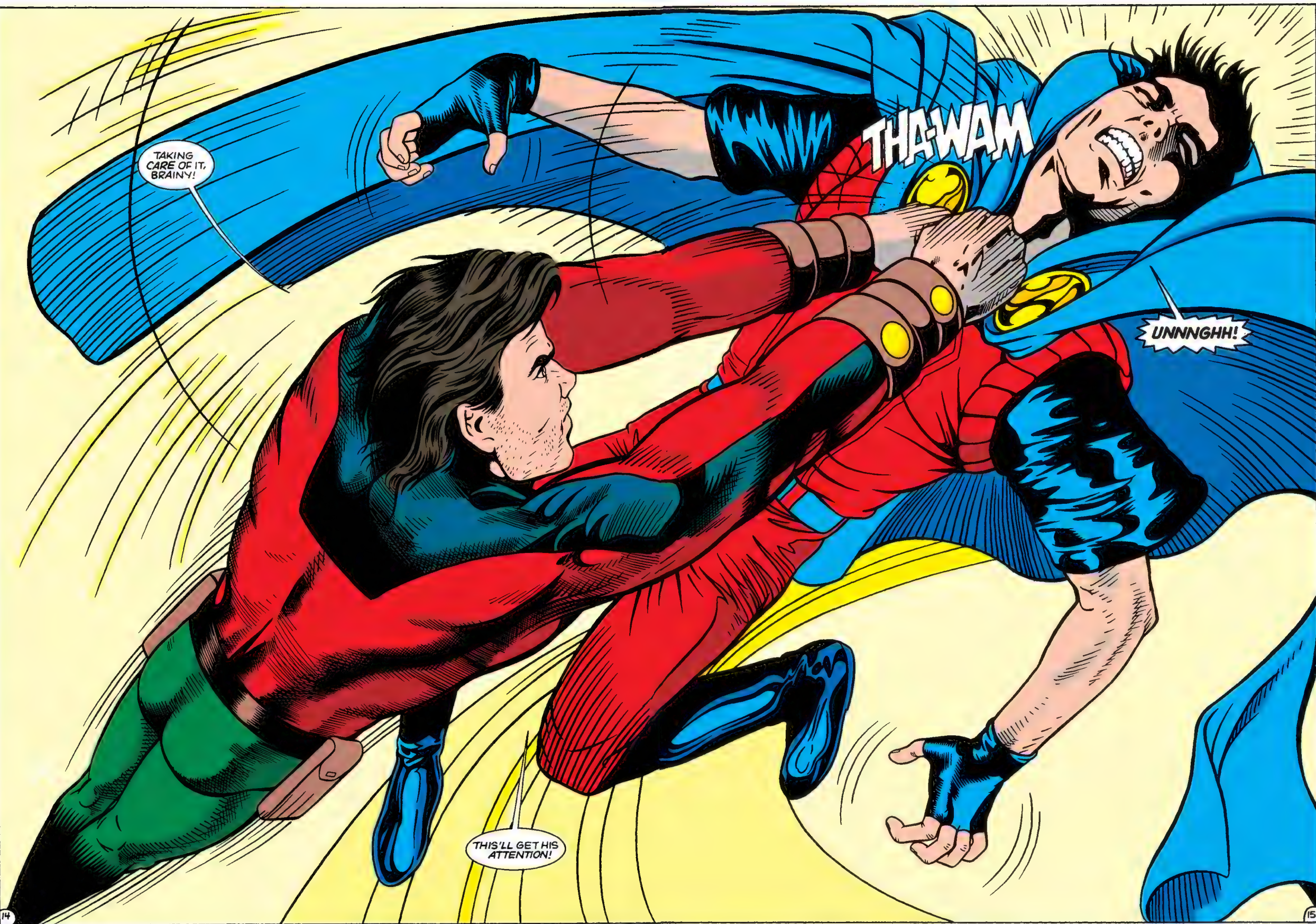
HE LOOKS
WEAK--FRAIL--
BUT HE'S
STILL A
DYNAMO!

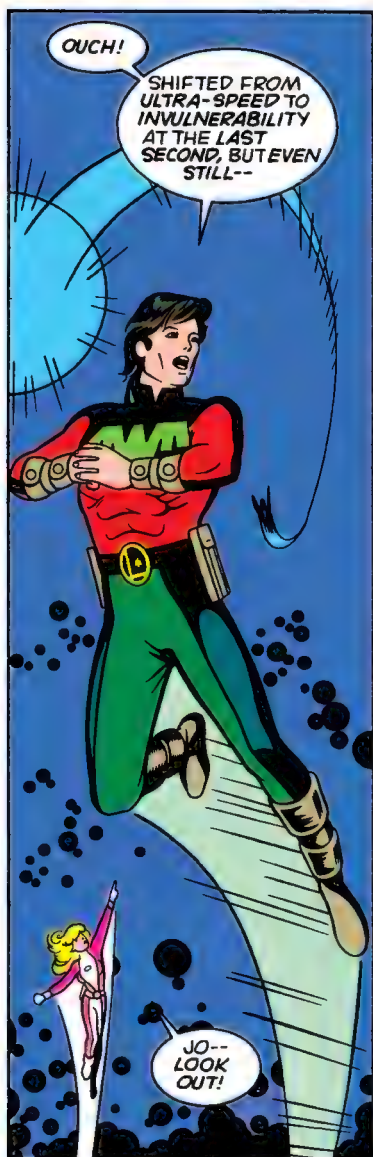


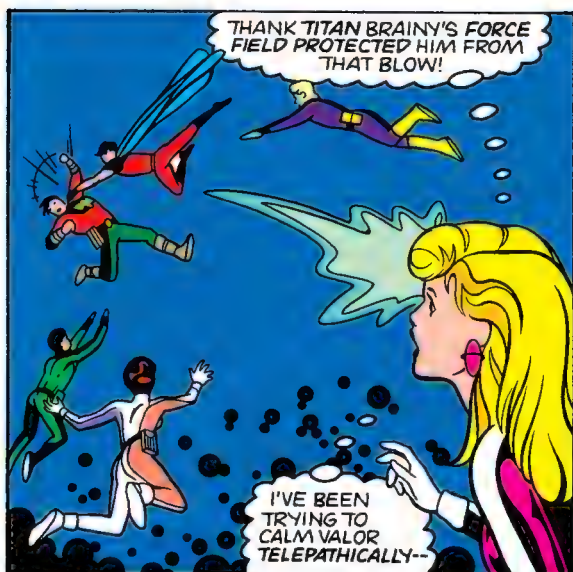
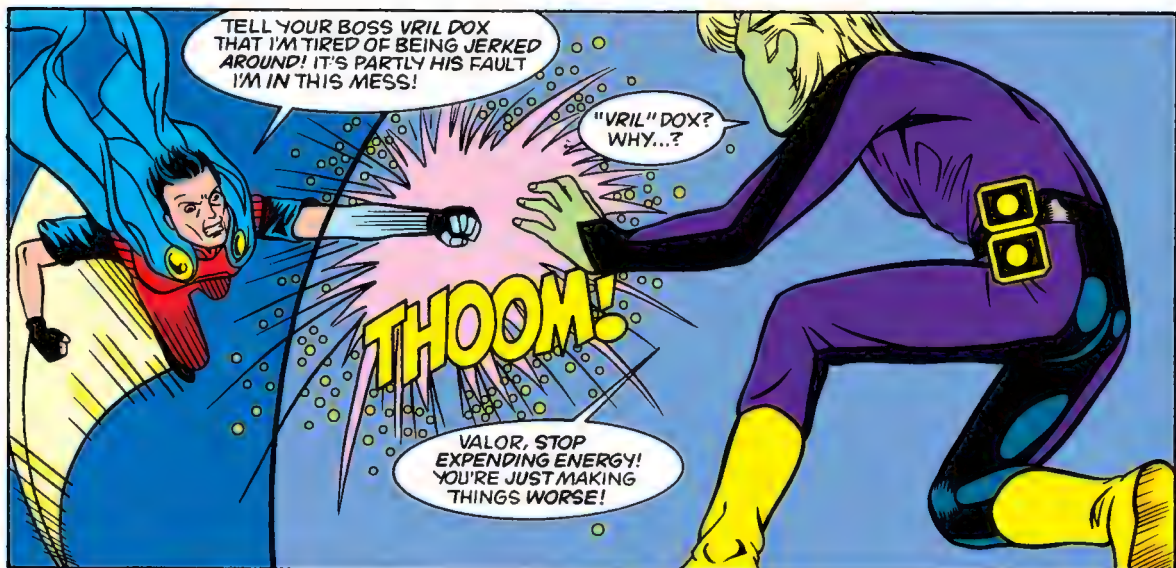
THERE'S ONLY ONE OF US
WHO CAN MATCH HIM POWER
FOR POWER! WHERE'S--

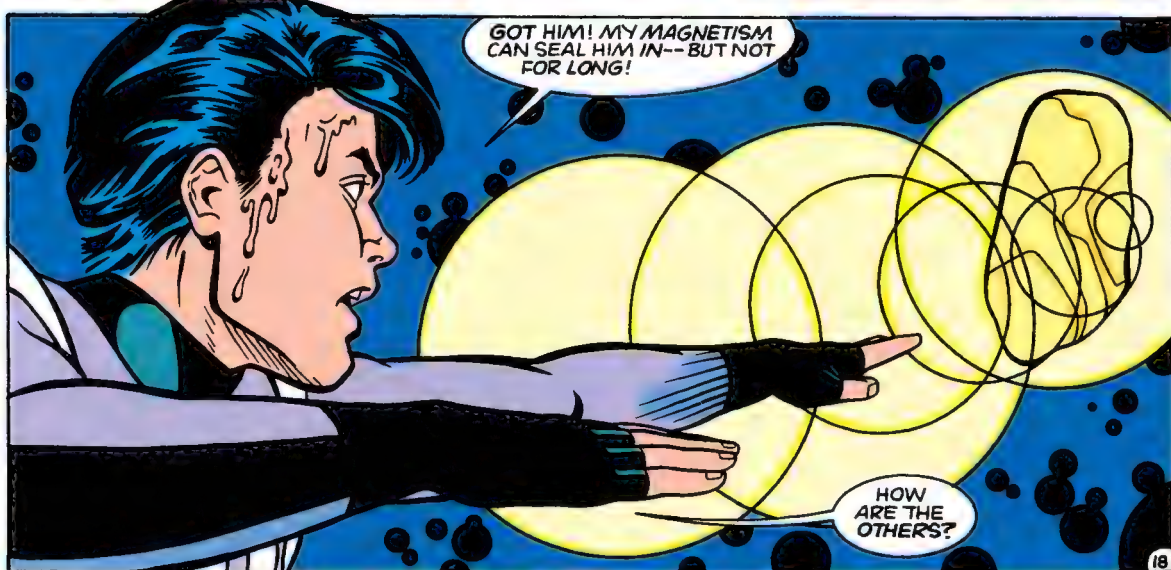
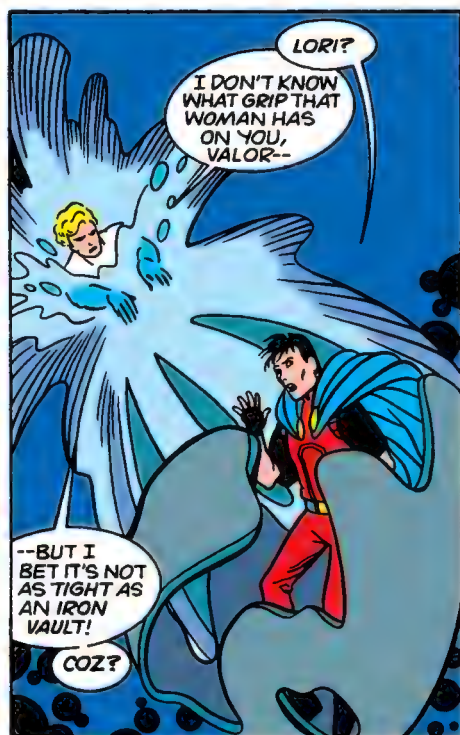
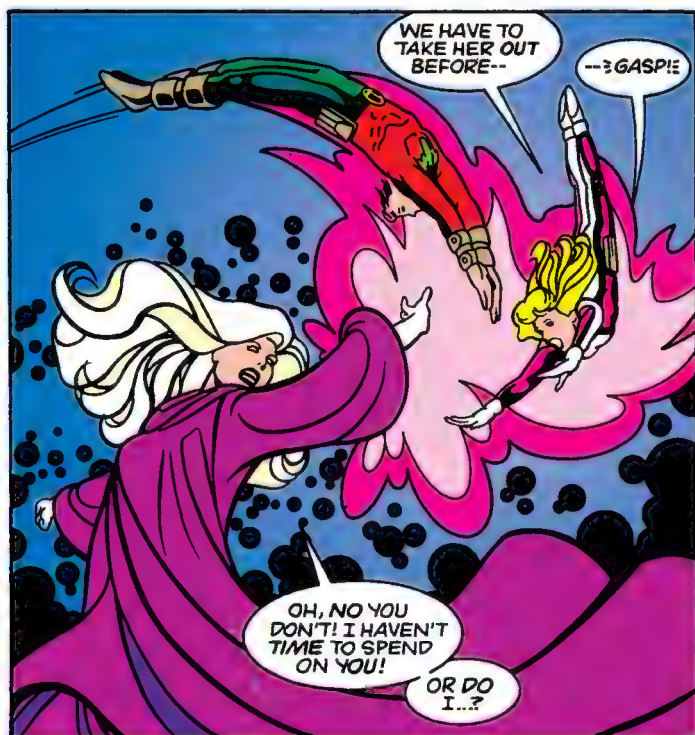
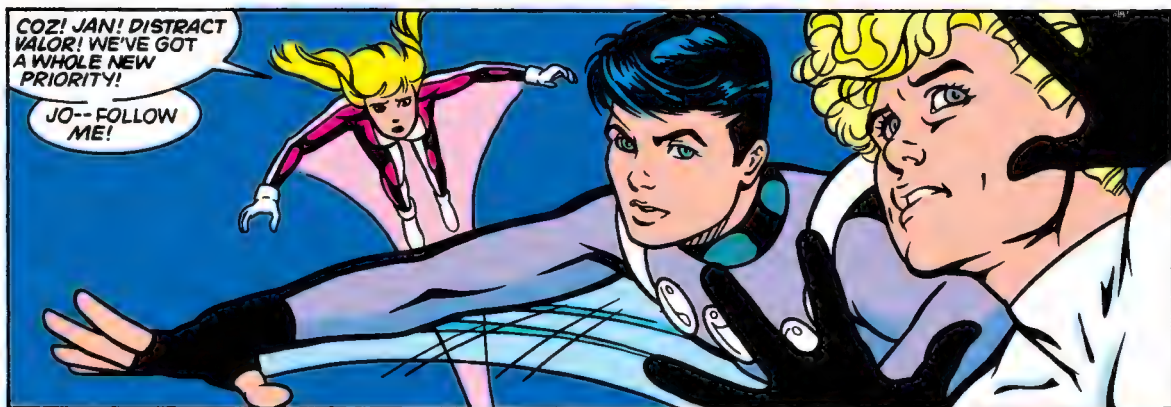


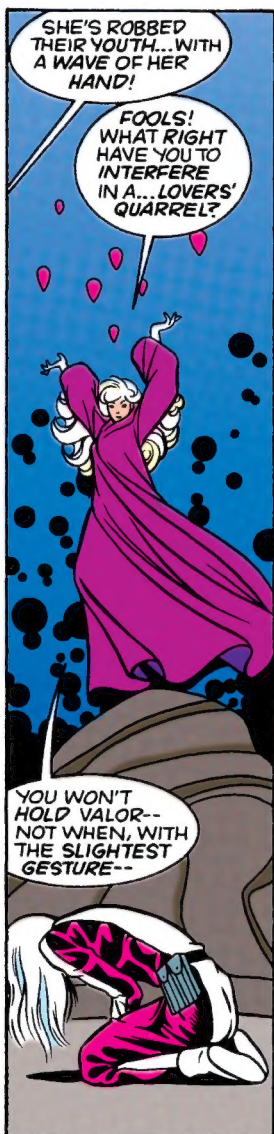
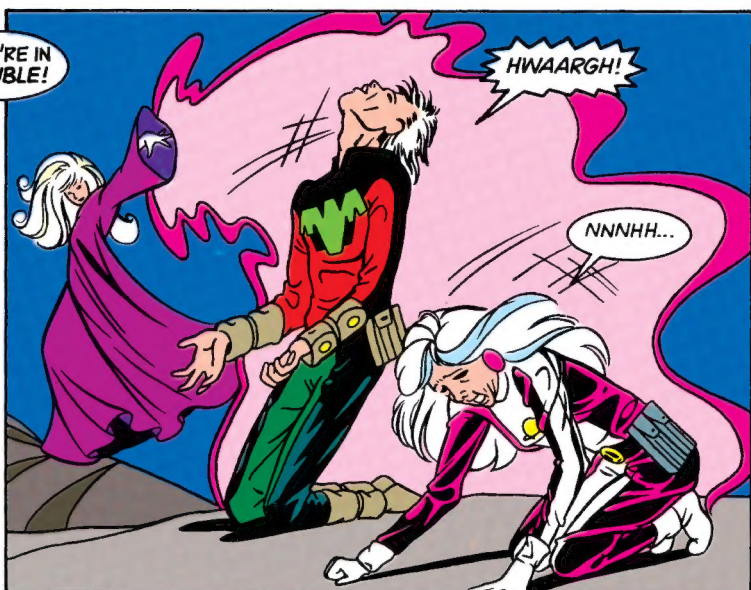
--ULTRA
BOY?

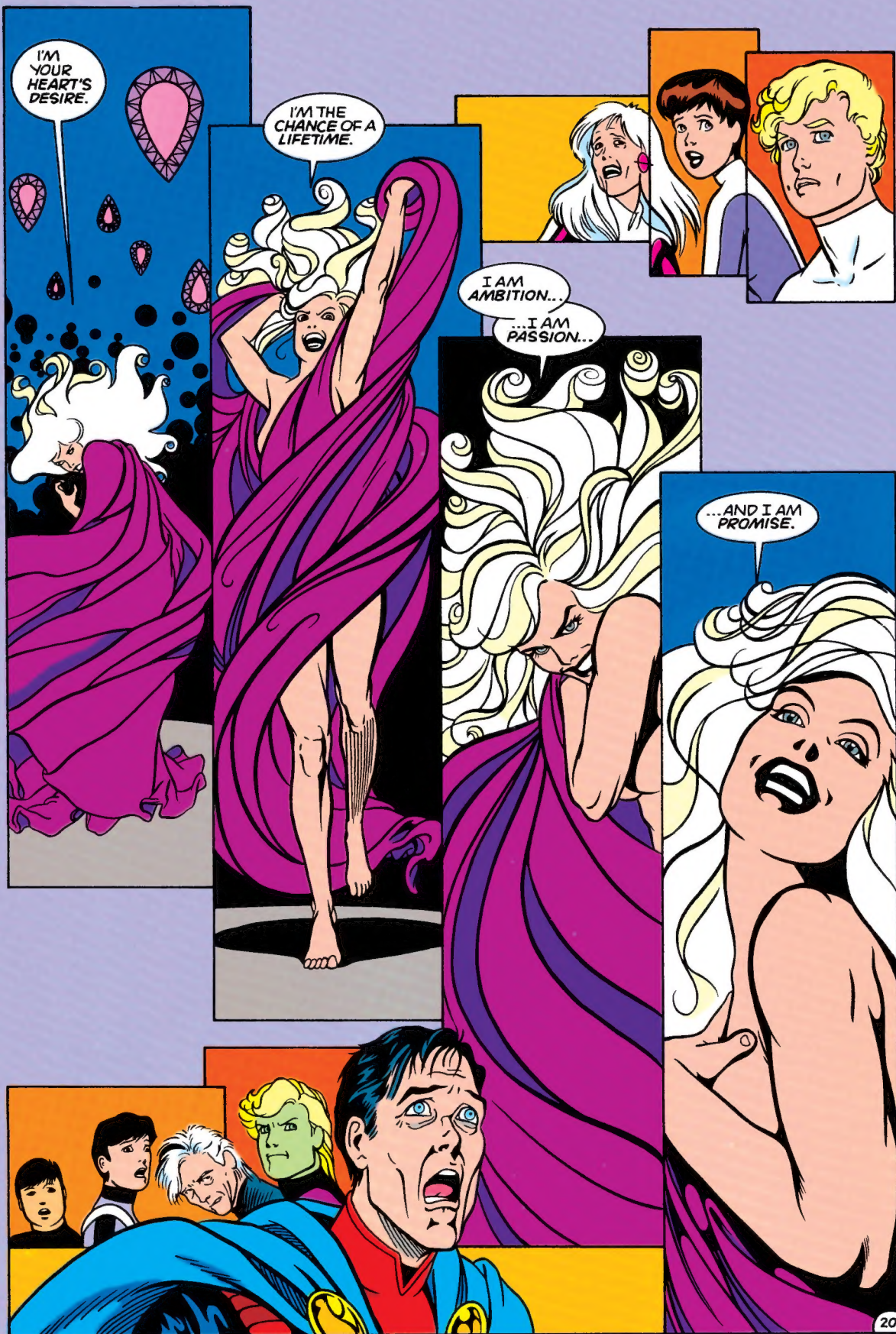














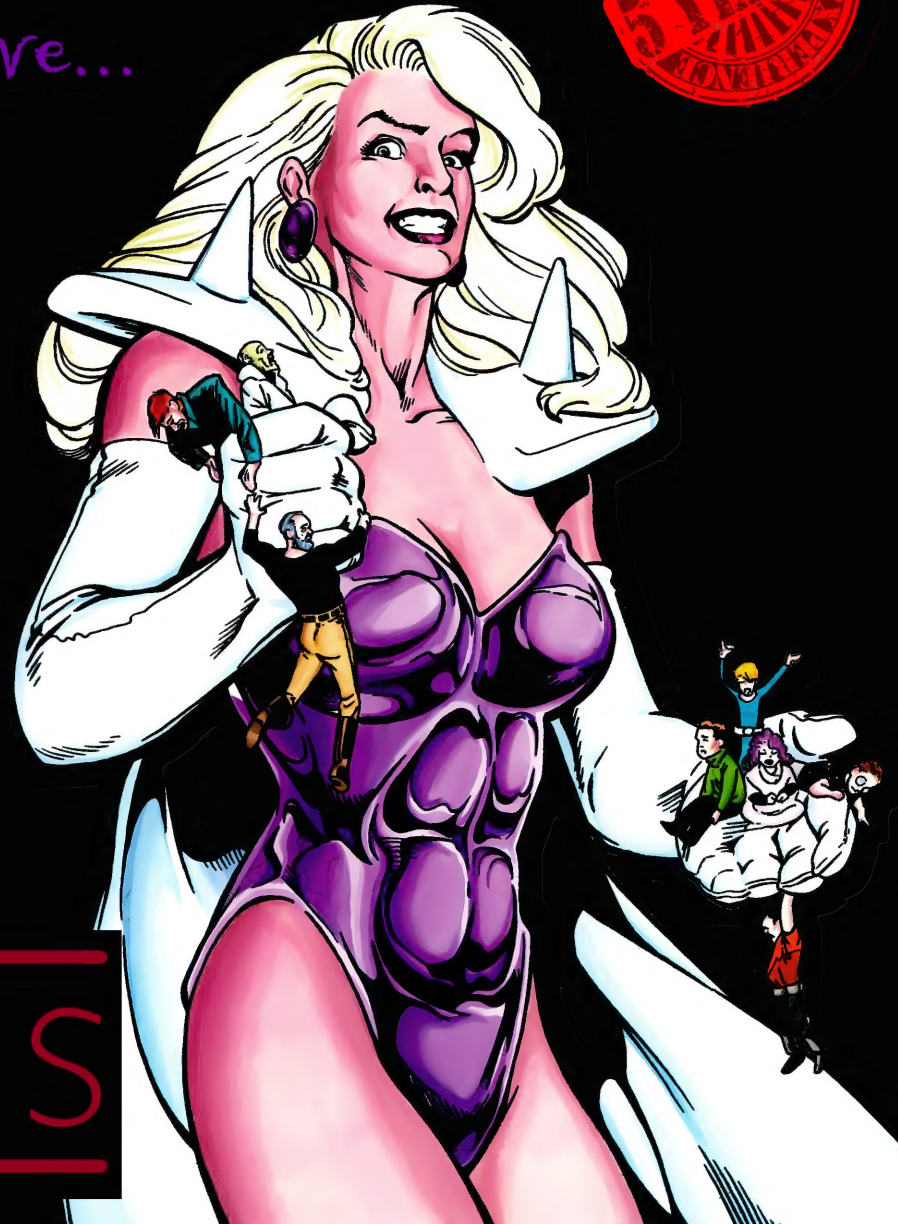
I AM GLORITH...
SPINNER OF THE
SORCERY THAT STOLE
YOUR LIFE!

ONLY I CAN
CURE YOU, VALOR,
AND I WILL...
ON ONE
CONDITION.

SWEAR YOUR
ALLEGIANCE TO ME--
SO THAT TOGETHER
WE MAY LAY CLAIM
TO THE GALAXY!

**NEXT: OUT OF
TIME!**

From Baaldur, with love...



GLORITH

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